

June 3, 2011

**LETCHER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
DISTRICT FACILITIES PLAN HEARING REPORT**

A public hearing was held at the Lindell Smith Conference Room on June 2, 2011, at 7:30 p.m. The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the Letcher County Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 12 - 0 in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted 3 - 0 to approve the new plan.

There were two individuals in attendance. Mike Oder, KSBA consultant served as the locally-appointed hearing officer. Terry Sturgill from the Central Office and Wilbur Smith, Board Member was present.

COMMENTS

Mike Oder called the public hearing to order. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. All considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed new District Facility Plan which includes:

- ❖ **Arlie Boggs Elementary** – Major renovation including Life safety, ADA, exterior and interior. New construction of a music/art room and administrative area.
- ❖ **Cowan Elementary** – Major renovation including Life safety, ADA and interior. New construction of media center, music room, resource rooms, administrative area, special education self contained room, computer lab and kitchen addition.
- ❖ **Fleming Neon Elementary** – Major renovation including Life safety, ADA, exterior, interior including gymnasium. New construction of special education self contained room, computer lab and art/music room.
- ❖ **Letcher Elementary** – Major renovation including Life safety, ADA, exterior and interior.
- ❖ **Martha Jan Potter Elementary** – Major renovation including Life safety, ADA, exterior and interior. New construction of media center, administrative area, special education self contained room, computer lab and kitchen addition.
- ❖ **West Whitesburg Elementary** – Major renovation including Life safety, ADA, exterior and interior. New Construction of administrative area, family resource area, cafeteria and music room.
- ❖ **Whitesburg Middle School** – Major renovation including Life safety, ADA and site work. New construction of band room, kitchen and cafeteria.
- ❖ **Letcher County High School** – Site work including original items on footprint.
- ❖ **Letcher County Alternative School (former Vo-Tech building)** – Major renovation including Life safety, ADA exterior and interior.
- ❖ **Central Office** – Major renovation including Life safety, site work interior and exterior. New construction of ten (10) offices, one (1) conference room and one (1) records room.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. No one made a statement.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the new District Facility Plan developed by the Letcher County Local Planning Committee and adopted by the Letcher County Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the Letcher County School District. A copy of the new plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Reviewed by,

Mike Oder
KSBA, LPC Facilitator

Tim Lucas
KDE, Facilities Management

Attachments: Public Hearing Agenda
 Letcher County School District Facility Plan
 Sign In sheet